

Cal Poly Report

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4 department heads named for Comm. Arts & Humanities

Four department heads have been named in the School of Communicative Arts and Humanities. Two of the faculty members are new to the position, while two others were serving on an interim basis. In addition, two other department heads will serve on an interim basis.

The History Department will see Dr. Max E. Riedlsperger as the department head at the beginning of the fall quarter. He succeeds Dr. Robert E. Burton, who will return to full time teaching.

Clifton E. Swanson, who has been the interim head of the Music Department since the beginning of the winter quarter, has been named permanently to the post. He replaces Dr. Bessie Swanson, who is now associate dean of the School of Communicative Arts and Humanities.

Another change of command at the beginning of fall quarter will take place in the Political Science Department. Dr. John H. Culver will replace Dr. Randal L. Cruikshanks, who returns to full time teaching.

Dr. Roger Kenvin, who has led the Theatre and Dance Department since its creation last fall, has been named permanently to the post. The department was created last summer from elements that were part of the Physical Education and Speech Communications departments.

Robert Reynolds, who has been interim head of the Art Department since winter quarter, will continue in that role.

Dr. Mona Rosenman will serve as interim head of the English Department beginning with the fall quarter. She succeeds Dr. Brent H. Keetch, who will return to full time teaching.

University Club seeking 1985-86 programs

Faculty or staff interested in presenting a program for Cal Poly's University Club during the 1985-86 academic year are asked to contact Harriet Clendenen (ext. 1395) as soon as possible. Suggestions for possible programs are also welcomed.

The University Club, whose membership is open to all Cal Poly employees, meets each Thursday at noon during fall, winter, and spring quarters while classes are in session.

Cal Poly employees honored; reception planned for Friday

Two members of Cal Poly's teaching and support staff have been recognized for their outstanding achievement and dedication toward a safer working environment.

George M. Brown III of the Agricultural Engineering Department faculty and Joseph C. Risser, director of housing and conference services, were among 52 state employees who received Governor's Employee Safety Awards during a recent ceremony at the State Capitol in Sacramento.

(A reception is planned for the two recipients on Friday (June 7) from 10-11:30 am in the Staff Dining Room.)

Brown, who has gained a national reputation for his expertise and consulting in agricultural safety, was recognized for his efforts to improve the safety of the agricultural engineering laboratories.

He is chairman of the Farm Machinery Operator Training Program for the School of Agriculture and has assisted the Crops Unit, Ornamental Horticulture Unit, and Feed Mill in increasing the safety of their operations.

As a volunteer, Brown, a certified instructor in both first aid and CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation) for the American Red Cross, has helped provide first aid and CPR training for the staffs of the Housing Department, Recreational Sports Office, Children's Center, and Public Safety Department.

He also is an assistant team leader for the San Luis Obispo County Sheriff's Search and Rescue Unit, a volunteer firefighter with the South Bay Fire Department, and a member of the board and chairman of the Safety Services Committee for the San Luis Obispo chapter of the Red Cross.

Risser also has extensive involvement in safety programs, both as an employee and as a volunteer.

In addition to assisting with installation and upgrading of fire and life safety alarm systems in university housing facilities, he has voluntarily taught CPR to resident advisors and resident directors of the Housing Department, as well as to custodial staff of the Housing and Conferences Services Department.

Risser is on the affiliate faculty of the local unit of the American Heart Association, an advanced first aid and emergency care instructor for the Red Cross, a certified emergency medical technician, and a staff officer for the Sheriff's Search and Rescue Unit.

Computer science honor society chapter established

A Cal Poly chapter of the national honor society for students majoring in computer science has been established. The Epsilon Chapter of Upsilon Pi Epsilon recently conducted ceremonies for 18 charter members.

Officers, members re-elected by Foundation board

Officers of the Cal Poly Foundation's board of directors were re-elected at the May meeting of the nine-member board.

Chosen for a new one-year term as chairman was Howard West, associate executive vice president, and a member of the board since 1980.

Elected to serve with him were Provost Tomlinson Fort Jr. and Dr. Lark P. Carter, dean of the School of Agriculture.

In addition, two of the board's other members were re-elected to new three-year terms. They are Russell H. Brown, dean of students, and Harold R. Miller of the Accounting Department faculty.

President Baker also reappointed George Soares, an attorney with offices in Hanford and Sacramento, to a one-year term as community representative on the Foundation board.

Continuing members of the board are Lori DeMatteis, a business administration student; Lezlie A. Labhard of the Home Economics Department faculty; and Dr. James L. Strom, vice president for university relations.

Officers, board elected for the University Club

Martha J. Steward of the School of Architecture has been elected president of the University Club for 1985-86.

Other officers are Harriet Clendenen (Disabled Student Services), vice president; Carol Abbey (Art), secretary, and Jerri Hobberlin (Payroll), treasurer.

The board of directors will include: June Powell, Joan Stadt, Dan Krieger, Larry Grimes, Terry Smith, Sondra Tuttle, Mary Lou Brady, Homer E. Hoyt, Doug Gerard, Mark Shelton, and Donna Gang.

Local Timesharing Replacement system delayed

Due to delays in the procurement process, the Local Timesharing Replacement system will not be installed until sometime during the fall quarter. Instructors should not plan on using the machine until spring quarter, 1986. The current machine, a PDP 11/70 running RSTS/E, will continue to operate until the end of spring quarter, 1986.

At this point in the procurement process there is no way to know which vendor will receive the contract. When the contract is awarded in August, the Computer Services organization will inform users of the make and model of the machine. The Instructional Support Group will also be presenting training seminars during fall and winter quarters depending on machine availability.

Children's Center to host open house June 12

The Children's Center will host an open house Wednesday, June 12, 10 am to noon to "show off" the new preschool play yard and other improvements recently made to the center.

The entire campus community and the public are invited. The Children's Center is located in Plumas Hall, near Poly Grove.

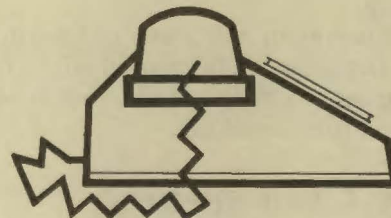
"The purpose of the open house is to let people see the recent changes at the Children's Center and to thank all those who have helped make it all happen," said center director Yvonne Ricketts. "It's been a group effort with a lot of volunteers and donations, and we want to say 'thanks' to all those involved."

Third-year architecture student John Campbell designed the playground project, then coordinated and managed the construction. The new play yard consists of a trike path, climbing structure, new sandbox, playhouse, planter boxes, brick paths and patio, a water play area, and attractive new landscaping.

Eight student groups helped with the project. Tim Gaskin's turf management class laid sod for the yard, Roger Keep's wood processing class built the playhouse, and Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity and Tau Beta Pi engineering honor society laid forms for the trike path.

In addition, Sigma Nu fraternity transferred and dumped tons of sand into the sandbox. Sigma Alpha Epsilon prepped and primed the entire outside of the building for painting, and parents of the Children's Center and Delta Sigma Pi fraternity completed other miscellaneous projects.

Campus support came from the staff at Plant Operations and associate director Dick Tartaglia, the Architecture Support Shop, and from Joe Burton and Ken Haggard, architecture faculty advisors. Supplies were donated from area firms.



Conference call details

The Microcomputer and Telecommunications Services Department would like to remind departments that information regarding the use of conference calls and speaker phones on campus is available in the Campus Telephone Directory under Telephone Procedures. Departments having questions about these services should call the Telecommunications Office at ext. 2671.

Academic Calendar 1986-88

Summer Quarter 1986

- June 18**
Beginning of university year
Beginning of Summer Quarter
Summer Quarter classes begin
- July 1**
End of second week of instruction
Last day to drop a class
- July 2**
Last day to add a class and to submit add/drop forms
Last day to register late and pay late registration fee (4:30 pm)
- July 4**
Academic holiday — Independence Day
- July 9**
End of third week of instruction - census date
- August 6**
End of seventh week of instruction
- August 25**
Last day of classes
- August 26-29**
Final examination period
- August 29**
End of Summer Quarter
- August 30 - September 14**
Academic holiday

Fall Quarter 1986

- September 15**
Beginning of Fall Quarter (faculty only)
- September 22**
Fall Quarter classes begin
- October 3**
End of second week of instruction
Last day to drop a class
- October 6**
Last day to add a class and to submit add/drop forms
Last day to register late and pay late registration fee (4:30 pm)
- October 10**
End of third week of instruction - census date
- November 7**
End of seventh week of instruction
- November 11**
Academic holiday — Veterans' Day
- November 26-30**
Academic holiday — Thanksgiving
- December 5**
Last day of classes
- December 8-12**
Final examination period
- December 13**
Mid-year Commencement
End of Fall Quarter
- December 14 - January 4**
Academic holiday

Winter Quarter 1987

- January 5**
Beginning of Winter Quarter
Winter Quarter classes begin
- January 16**
End of second week of instruction
Last day to drop a class
- January 19**
Academic holiday — Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday
- January 20**
Last day to add a class and to submit add/drop forms
Last day to register late and pay late registration fee (4:30 pm)
- January 26**
End of third week of instruction - census date
- February 16**
Academic holiday — Washington's Birthday
- February 24**
End of seventh week of instruction
- March 13**
Last day of classes
- March 16-20**
Final examination period
- March 20**
End of Winter Quarter
- March 21-29**
Academic holiday

Spring Quarter 1987

- March 30**
Beginning of Spring Quarter
Spring Quarter classes begin
- April 10**
End of second week of instruction
Last day to drop a class
- April 13**
Last day to add a class and to submit add/drop forms
Last day to register late and pay late registration fee (4:30 pm)
- April 17**
End of third week of instruction - census date
- May 8**
End of seventh week of instruction
- May 25**
Academic holiday — Memorial Day
- June 5**
Last day of classes
- June 8-12**
Final examination period
- June 13**
Commencement
End of Spring Quarter
End of university year (faculty only)
- June 14-21**
Academic holiday

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Summer Quarter 1987

June 22

Beginning of university year
Beginning of Summer Quarter
Summer Quarter classes begin

July 3

Academic holiday - Independence Day Observance

July 6

End of second week of instruction
Last day to drop a class

July 7

Last day to add a class and to submit add/drop forms
Last day to register late and pay late registration fee
(4:30 pm)

July 13

End of third week of instruction - census date

August 10

End of seventh week of instruction

August 28

Last day of classes

August 31 - September 4

Final examination period

September 4

End of Summer Quarter

September 5-13

Academic holiday

Fall Quarter 1987

September 14

Beginning of Fall Quarter (faculty only)

September 21

Fall Quarter classes beginning

October 2

End of second week of instruction
Last day to drop a class

October 5

Last day to add a class and to submit add/drop forms
Last day to register late and pay late registration fee
(4:30 pm)

October 9

End of third week of instruction - census date

November 6

End of seventh week of instruction

November 11

Academic holiday — Veterans' Day

November 25-29

Academic holiday — Thanksgiving

December 4

Last day of classes

December 7-11

Final examination period

December 12

Mid-year Commencement
End of Fall Quarter

December 13 - January 3

Academic holiday

Winter Quarter 1988

January 4

Beginning of Winter Quarter
Winter Quarter classes begin

January 15

End of second week of instruction
Last day to drop a class

January 18

Academic holiday — Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday

January 19

Last day to add a class and to submit add/drop forms
Last day to register late and pay late registration fee
(4:30 pm)

January 25

End of third week of instruction - census date

February 15

Academic holiday — Washington's Birthday

February 23

End of seventh week of instruction

March 11

Last day of classes

March 14-18

Final examination period

March 18

End of Winter Quarter

March 19-27

Academic holiday

Spring Quarter 1988

March 28

Beginning of Spring Quarter
Spring Quarter classes begin

April 8

End of second week of instruction
Last day to drop a class

April 11

Last day to add a class and to submit add/drop forms
Last day to register late and pay late registration fee
(4:30 pm)

April 15

End of third week of instruction - census date

May 13

End of seventh week of instruction

May 30

Academic holiday — Memorial Day

June 3

Last day of classes

June 6-10

Final examination period

June 11

Commencement
End of Spring Quarter
End of university year (faculty only)

June 12-19

Academic holiday

\$50,000 bequest made by Cal Poly faculty member

A respected emeritus faculty member has left \$50,000 to the university's Art Department for the purchase of studio instructional equipment.

Erna Knapp, who died last summer at the age of 70, taught art at the university for nearly 20 years. In 1976, a year before her retirement, she received a Distinguished Teacher Award.

As part of her will she created the Erna T. Knapp Endowment Fund. It will be used specifically for the purchase of equipment for studio instruction in drawing and painting, the areas in which Knapp worked.

When the Art Department moves to the Dexter Building next year, her artwork will be displayed there.

Her talent was also noted by The California State University. Former CSU Chancellor Glenn Dumke needed an artist to paint his portrait. He searched throughout the CSU before selecting Knapp.

U. S. Department of Education presents \$40,000 grant

Cal Poly has been awarded a \$40,000 grant from the U. S. Department of Education for international course development.

New courses will include "World History," "World Systems," and "Global Issues." A course in "Latin American Culture" also will be offered and taught in Spanish. The offerings will begin during the 1985-86 academic year.

The program, under the direction of Dr. Dianne Long of the political science faculty, will provide release time from teaching for six faculty members responsible for developing the new international courses. The new courses have been approved to satisfy part of the General Education and Breadth core of courses required for all university students. An additional \$40,000 grant is anticipated to complete the two-year project.

Course development and evaluation are planned for the first year of the grant, and the second year will be devoted to refining curricula and assisting other faculty members responsible for teaching the new courses.

The grant also provides funding for course materials, such as films and maps. In the second year of the project, mini-grants will be given to faculty for developing lectures on international issues.

The faculty team working on the project includes Drs. Max Riedlsperger, History; Harold Kerbo, Social Sciences; Stan Dundon, Philosophy; Joseph Weatherby, Political Science, and William Little, Foreign Languages.

Mission concert planned by choral groups

The Cal Poly choral groups will be closing out the 1984-85 season with a concert on Friday, June 7, at 8 pm in Mission San Luis Obispo de Tolosa.

Dr. Thomas Davies, a member of the Cal Poly music faculty, will lead the Women's Chorus, the Men's Chorus, and the University Singers in sacred compositions representing different periods of music history.

Violinist Jeanne Clouse will be special guest artist performing Johann Sebastian Bach's Violin Concerto No. 2 in E major.

An aeronautical engineering major who will be graduating in August, Clouse is well known in the San Luis Obispo area for her performances at the annual Baroque Concert at Cal Poly, and her participation in the Mozart Festival Orchestra and the San Luis Obispo County Symphony. At 17 she participated in the (Jascha) Heifetz Master Class at University of Southern California.

The Men's Chorus will begin with a Gregorian chant taken from the chants for the Feast of the Pentecost. Motets by Orlando Gibbons (late 16th century), and Peter Cornelius (19th century) will be followed by Philip Duey's arrangement of Martin Luther's "A Mighty Fortress" and the spiritual, "Guide My Hand."

The Women's Chorus will be joined by the Cal Poly Chamber Orchestra in a performance of "Missa sub titulo St. Leopoldi" by Michael Haydn.

The University Singers will open their part of the concert with two 20th century motets by French composers. "Ubi caritas" by Maurice Durufle and "O sacrum convivium" by Olivier Messiaen will be followed by the offertory, "Time-te Dominum," by Michael Haydn. The University Singers will be joined by the Cal Poly Chamber Orchestra for the Haydn work.

Works by Samuel Scheidt and G. Gabrielli will be performed by the Cal Poly Brass Quintet.

Tickets for the June 7 concert are \$4 for the public and \$2 for students and golden agers. They are available at the UU ticket office as well as Boo Boo Records and Cheap Thrills. Tickets will also be available at the door on the night of the concert.

The program is sponsored by the Music Department, School of Communicative Arts and Humanities, and ASI.

North American postal rates

The U.S. Postal Service has announced new letter class rates for Canada and Mexico. The first ounce is 22 cents, and each additional ounce, up to and including 12 ounces, is 18 cents.

In the U.S. first-class rate is 22 cents for the first ounce, and 17 cents for each additional ounce up to and including 12 ounces.

Computer, terminals donated by AT&T

Computer science students have more opportunities to work with a popular, state-of-the-art, computer operating system thanks to a gift of a computer and two terminals from AT&T.

The giant communications firm chose Cal Poly to receive a 3B2 minicomputer as part of a national grant program because of the university's development efforts in computer science, its commitment to future technology, and its willingness to involve faculty, students, and administration in the program.

The gift to the Computer Science Department is valued at approximately \$20,000. The computer has a "UNIX-based" operating system, one of several operating systems commonly used in computers today. Housed in the Computer Systems Laboratory, it will be used in undergraduate courses involving the UNIX system, for senior projects, and for graduate-level courses in which students deal with real-world-like problems.

The new computer has the capacity to serve 14 terminals in addition to the two provided by AT&T.

New employees, transfers and promotions

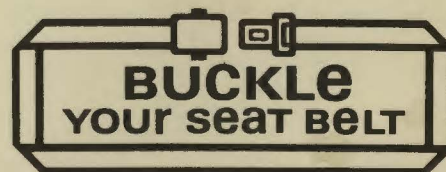
Jan Pieper, director of personnel and employee relations, announces the following appointments to new positions, transfers, and promotions to the support staff. A hearty welcome is extended to the new members of the Cal Poly staff and congratulations to those who have been promoted!

New employees

Charles Burns.....	Custodian, Plant Operations
Steve Burns.....	Groundworker, Plant Operations
Bernie Cox.....	Equipment Tech II, Aero Engineering
Christine Daugherty.....	Clinical Aide I, Health Center
Steven Dubiel.....	Custodian, Residence Hall Services
Isacc Israel.....	Custodian, Plant Operations
Barbara Levenson.....	Pharmacist, Health Center
Clay Ward.....	Custodian, Residence Hall Services
Michelle Zumwalt.....	Custodian, Plant Operations

Promotions

Wayne Brotze.....	Equipment Technician I, Farm Shop
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Who, What, Where, When

Michael Blum, *Graphic Communications*, published an article, "As Smooth as Silk," in the December 1984 issue of *In-Plant Printing*.

William Aussieker and Rolf Rogers, *Management*, presented a paper, "Police Collective Bargaining: Practical Implications of Academic Research," at the annual meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences in Las Vegas.

Michael Blum, *Graphic Communications*, published as article, "Use Care When Processing Type," in the April 1985 issue of the *Printing Journal*.

Sandra Mitchell, *Food Science and Nutrition*, presented a poster, "Differences in Plasma Neutral Amino Acids Levels and Ratios After Young Men Consume Breakfasts of Low and Moderate Protein Content," at the recent meetings of the Federation of American Societies of Experimental Biology.

Pat Saam, *Food Science and Nutrition*, was elected Region I (Western) Representative, at the Foodservice Systems Management Education Council (FSMEC) meeting in Denver.

Robin Loftus and Susan O'Flaherty, *Financial Aid Office*, presented a workshop on "Situational Skills Training: A Positive Approach for Enhancing Financial Aid Office Supervisory Skills" at the recent annual Western Assn. of Student Financial Aid Administrators conference in Seattle.

Donald Grinde Jr., *History*, published an essay, "Navajo Ecology and Government Policy," in Kendall Bailes, ed., *Environmental History: Critical Issues in*

Comparative Perspective" (New York: University Press of America, 1985).

Steve French, *City and Regional Planning*, made a presentation on "Teaching Computer Applications in Planning" at the International Planning conference in Montreal. It was part of a special program on Microcomputer Uses in Planning Education.

Roxana Lopez, *Cooperative Education*, has been appointed 1985-86 treasurer of the California Cooperative Education Assn.

Ahmad Nafisi, *Electronic and Electrical Engineering*, presented a paper, "Composite Iron Powder Material for the Armature of Axial-Field Permanent Magnet Machines," at the 23rd IEEE International Magnetic Conference in St. Paul.

William Howard, *City and Regional Planning*, presented a paper, "Economics of Scale in Rural America: Myth or Reality," as part of a special symposium on Small Town and Rural Planning Education and Practice at the International Planning Conference in Montreal.

Kenneth Riener, *Business Administration*, published an article, "A Pedagogic Note on the Cost of Capital with Personal Taxes and Risky Debt," in the May issue of *The Financial Review*.

Judy Saltzman, *Philosophy*, presented a talk in Santa Barbara on "Classical Greek Education" under the auspices of the Institute of World Culture.

Harvey Levenson, *Graphic Communications*, moderated a session on Color

Reproduction Analysis and Measurement, and conducted a workshop on Electronic Prepress at the annual conference of the Technical Assn. of the Graphic Arts in St. Paul.

Gary Field, *Graphic Communications*, presented a paper, "Ink Trap Measurement," at the annual conference of the Technical Assn. of the Graphic Arts in St. Paul.

Position Vacancies

Vacant staff positions at Cal Poly State University and the Cal Poly Foundation are announced in this column and are posted outside the respective offices. Contact those offices (State: Adm. 110, 805-546-2236—Foundation: mobile unit near the Fire Department (805-546-1121) for applications and additional position details. Both Cal Poly and the Foundation are subject to all laws governing affirmative action and equal employment opportunity. All interested persons are encouraged to apply.

State

CLOSING DATE: 6-21-85

Clinical Aid II, \$1175-\$1384/month, Student Health Services.

Foundation

CLOSING DATE: 6-13-85

Catering Sales Supervisor, \$1262-1520/month, occasional variable hours, Catering Department.